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1. APPRECIATE EMBASSY'S ASSISTANCE IN TRANSLATING CABLE FROM V.A.
KUKHAR, FOREIGN RELATIONS SECTION, STATE COMMITTEE OF STANDARDS - REF

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2. REQUEST EMBASSY TRANSMIT FOLLOWING RESPONSE DATED
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OCTOBER 1, TO V.A. KUKHAR WITH COPIES TO

KAZAKOV OF HYDROMET AND KRUTOV OF GOSSTANDART.

"DEAR MR. KUKHAR:

WE REGRET TO HEAR THAT YOUR DELEGATIONS'S ARRIVAL
IN WASHINGTON FOR THE 3RD MEETING OF THE U.S. -
U.S.S.R. JOINT WORKING GROUP ON PROJECT XI-2.1,
ORIGINALLY SCHEDULED FOR OCTOBER 28-31, WILL HAVE
TO BE POSTPONED. WE APPRECAITE THE COMPLEXITY
AND QUANTITY OF THE ANALYSES AND TRANSLATION
WORK YOU ARE UNDERTAKING AND UNDERSTAND THE
REASONS FOR THIS DELAY.

THEREFORE, WE WILL ATTEMPT TO RESCHEDULE THIS
MEETING FOR LATE NOVEMBER OR EARLY DECEMBER AS
YOU HAVE REQUESTED. THE EXACT MEETING DATES WILL
BE SUGGESTED TO YOU AS SOON AS POSSIBLE. YOU WILL
ALSO BE ADVISED OF ANY OTHER CHANGES NECESSITATED
BY THIS POSTPONEMENT.

WE HAVE NOT YET RECEIVED INFORMATION AS PREVIOUSLY
REQUESTED ON THE COMPOSITION OF THE SOVIET DELEGATION
AND WHETHER OR NOT IT WILL INCLUDE REPRESENTATIVES
FROM GOSPLAN OR THE VARIOUS INDUSTRIAL MINISTRIES.

WER APPRECIATE YOUR CABLE ALERTING US OF THIS CHANGE IN
PLANS AND LOOK FORWARD TO WTRKING WITH YOU AT THIS
MEETINGS.

SINCERELY,

SIDNEY R. GALLER
DEPUTY ASSISTANT SECRETARY
FOR ENVIRONMENTAL AFFAIRS
U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

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